

NEW COUNTY JUDGE PRESIDES AT MARFA Young Woman Athletes Practice Tennis

and Basketball-New Residences For Marfa. Marfa, Tex., Feb. 18.-County court

is in session here, judge W. W. Bogle, recently appointed, presiding. Mrs. V. M. Mason is visiting friends in Alpine while Miss Ida Chambers is filling her place in the district and

county clerk's office. Mr. and Mrs. R. W. McGee are in from their ranch southwest of Marfa-Dr. Locke, of Fort Davis, was here

A. B. Main has left for Austin, and from there will go to his home at Dela-

W. W. Bogel, jr., and wife have gone to Wilmerding, Pa., where Mr. Bogel will complete a course in electrical en-J. W. Howell, who recently sold the

Marfa barber shop to Mr. Ake, of Alpine, has purchased an interest in the Robinson Lumber company. Oren Bunton is here from his ranch near Shafter.

Q. L. Kleinman, a Presidio merchant. was here several days recently. F. E. Gillett, of Alpine, and J. E. Gillett, of Marfa, have returned from

a trip to Candelaria hot springs. The little infant of Dr. and Mrs. W. E. Robertson is not expected to live. Sheriff M. B. Chastain recently sold

team of beautiful spotted horses for The members of the Young Women's Athletic club of Marfa, are practicing

tennis and basketball daily and are becoming experts. Mr. and Mrs. Trav. Childers have removed from their ranch to Marfa. Judge Pruitt of Candelaria is here

attending county court.

Judge J. P. Shields has let the contract for a residence in Marfa.

HOMESTEADERS ORGANIZE /

LODGE AT ARTESIA, N. M. Receptions and Luncheons Are Given In Artesia Society Circles-Metho-dists Hold Revival.

Artesia N. M. Feb. 13-F P. Marshall, territorial manager of the Homesteaders, organized a lodge here with 60 members. W. H. Hobbes was elected president, and Mrs. 1mo G. Mill-

huff secretary.
Mesdames Jno. E. Enfield and Gayle Talbot gave a reception recently at the rooms of the Commercial club. They were assisted in receiving and entertaining by Mesdames S. W. Gilbert, S. N. Requa, D. L. Looney, J. P. Lowry, Jno. Majer, J. B. Atkeson, J. E. Suep-ston, George Frisk and Williams of

Misses. Henry, Sangster, Williams, Carroll and McIlhauey. Mrs. Joe Jacobson recently entertained at luncheon from 2 to 4 oclock, and from 4 to 6 oclock and Mrs. J. E.

Suepston gave a fancy work party in honor of her guest, Mrs. Williams, of Roswell. Mrs. Chas. Hoffman entertained the members of the Baptist choir at her iome on Grand avenue.

A series of meetings is being held at

the Methodist church. Rev. Mr. Rankin, pastor of the church at Roswell, is conducting the services. Rev. E. McQueen Gray, of the New Mexico university, delivered his lecture on the English Elections here Thursday night at the Baptist church.

SOCIAL AND NEWS NOTES FROM MONTEREY, N. M.

Monterey, N. M., Feb. 18 .- The young ople of the Christian Endeavor society are going to give a party at the Wreatherford home Saturday night.

Tularesa dancing committees will give a masquerade ball tonight at the Wilson hall. Messrs, Lumbley and Ward went to

Black Lake recently. Mr. Ward is on a deal for Mr. Lumbley's steers. A tramp tried to steal a ride recently

on No. 1, of the E. P. & S. W., and was knocked off by one of the trainmen, and pretty badly hurt. He says someone sit him over the head with a six-

to the Seaman & Thomas company. They expect to put in a grain store here soon.

The Tularosa Improvement company has set aside some fine lots in Monterey for a hotel. Mrs. Charlie Burgess and Miss Ruby Davenport are on the sick list.

Mrs. C. C. Bourne, who has been ill, is reported better. T. A. Briscoe recently closed a deal with A. L. Douglas for his town prop-

BUILDING COMPLETED

AT SOLOMONVILLE Solomonville, N. M., Feb. 18,-The new

eddition to the Solomon Commercial company's store is just about ready for oc- Paso. A horse race was held at Safford re-

Dr. J. H. Long made a trip to Globe

recently.

Joe Newland, of Tucson, Ariz., a nephew of W. A. Gillespie, is visiting

G. A. Richardson Believes in "Spotless Town"-Ros-

well News.

Roswell, N. M., Feb. 18 .- Roswell has Roswell, N. M., Feb. 18.—Roswell has attended. A number were present from mayor in the person of Granville A. the heighboring ranches, also guests his own in regard to the cleanliness of Blanca. minds one that he has "just jumped out of a band box" and he carries his e. cessive devotion and veneration in at. from Candelaria to Valentine. idolatrous manner to a cleaner Ros-He gets after the sanitary offi- chor cattle.

It has become a Joke on Roswell's chief executive, but it is a serious matter with him and he has the hearty co operation of the citizens in making

Roswell a "a spotless town."

According to the plans of Louis C formerly manager of the Roswell steam laundry here and who has been owner and proprietor of Staunton steam lundry at Staunton, Ill., for the past two years there will be a new steam laundry plant installed in Roswell. It will be built on Second street on the property of P. C. Jacoby and will be a one story brick struc-ture. Including the machinery and building it will cost between \$35,000 and \$40,000. Mr. Rains will be manager and partial owner and it will be a joint stock company.

The new justice of the peace in precinct No. 2 has fitted up a new office in a specious room next to his private offire over Waugh's barber shop. This new justice, R. D. Bell, is a member of the board of aldermen and was connected with the Austin. Texas police department as patrolman and mounted policeman for over 13 years.

PLATEAU CHILD FALLS ON SCISSORS; INJURED

Two vearold Girl Has Narrow Escape From Losing Eyesight-New Weils Put Down at Plateau.

Plateau, Tex., Feb. 18.—The little Kendrick had a narrow escape from losing an eye recently by failing while playing with scissors. One blade entered the face between the eye and nose and the other just above the eye, apparently to the depth of a quarter of an

Ed L. Jones and sons attended the wedding of Mrs. Jones's sister, Miss Baby Grace Means and Mr. Rand of Midland, at Valentine.

S. Armstrong has signed a two years' contract and taken charge of the pumping plant at the Harperwell for Jones and Means. Mr. Cassidy, who was tem-porarily in charge, has returned to Fort

J. R. Webb is having a well drilled on his land south of town.

Work is progressing nicely on the

Sugg Cummins visited Pecos and Midland recently.

Ed Rowley came in from Sweetwater

lately to look after his land interest north of town. F. S. Herrin has returned from Toyah. Walter Wulfjen, an employe of the Van Horn postoffice, was a recent vis-

itor to Plateau. Ed Rowley and Sugg Cummins at-tended the Valentine dance at Van

MARFA PERSONALS.

Marfa, Tex., Feb. 18.—C. A. Brown, president of the Marfa National bank, W. H. Colquitt and father drove over

F. S. Matthews has returned from El Wm. McGee was a visitor to town recently.

Mrs. John Shenon, of Lima, Peru., In Delaware, O. While here Mr. Main South America, is visiting her sister, gave Jim Pool a contract for two wells. J. G. Love and ramlly were in Marfa

James A. Poole was a visitor to town George Sutherlin is spending a few

GOODS STOLEN AT VALENTINE DEL RIO GETTING

Bonds Voted by Presidio County to Build Road Into Valentine.

Valentine, Texas, Feb. 18.—The dry goods store of E. R. Mabey was broken into recently and \$20 worth of goods were stolen. There is no clue to the burglarly. The Mexican supper given by the improvement club was a success. The social dance that followed was well

Richardson, who has idiosyncrasies of from Midland, El Paso and Sierra The music was furnished by a Mexican orchestra. Presidio county has voted bonds to build a good road over the rim rock

Geo. Evans has bought the Jose Sanwell. He gets after the sanitary officer and most any day he can be seen raking up trash and paper and burning it on the street.

It has become a joke on Roswell's

Cattle.

E. L. Baker, foreman of the Fay Except plus in Valentine while work at the plt is suspended.

S. B. Tuilous and R. R. Young-

blood were at Marfa lately.
T. P. Garrett of Holland Valley was in Valentine recently. Tom Abbott of San Antonio was

Valentine visitor lately.

J. E. Banner of Dryden, Texas, was, in Valentine Tuesday to look after some horses he purchased of L. C. Brite. Rev. W. B. Bloys of Ft. Davis was a

ecent Valentine visitor, Sam Bunton'is in Alpine on business. Mrs. R. R. Jones, postmaster here, who has been on the sick list the past week, is at her old post again

John Pool and wife of Maria are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Joel Finley. Den Knight came in from his ranch recently, bringing with him three children who were ill. They were put under the care of Dr. G. B. Graves and

are fast improving.
Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Snyder came in from their ranch to attend the "Mexican supper" and dance. The Messrs. Gilletts and Miss Ora Youell were recent guests at the C. O.

Finley home. C. O. Finley made a recent business trip to Ft. Davis and Marfa. Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Bell made a fly-

ing trip to their ranch in their new automobile recently. Jim Gray has reutrned from Las Cruces, where he has been prospecting for placer. E. L. Jones of Plateau was a recent

Valentine visitor. Tyrel Smith of Ft. Davis, was in Valentine to receive a bunch of cattle recently purchased of W. G. Mediey. Miss Kate McLean, of El Paso, is vis-lting her father, Joe McLean.

ROSWELL TO ERECT STATUES IN HONOR OF FOUNDERS.

Schedule of Auto Line From Roswell to Torrance is Changed-News Notes From Roswell.

Roswell, N. M., Feb. 18 .- The Sons of Confederate Veterans and their friends are going to erect a life size statue of Capt. Joseph C. Lea, deceased, in the northwest corner of the court house C. O. Coffin square; and John Ashinhust, a sonia- his ranch lately law of the late judge Frank H. Lea, a well of W. H. Akard at the Diamond C. brother of Capt. Lea, will erect at his colorado RAISES BONUS ranch. Mr. Betts, of Boracho, was a recent southwest corner of the square. The and are to be erected in their honor as founders of the town of Roswell.

A change in the train schedule of New Mexico Central railroad has made necessary a change in the Roswell-Torrance auto mall and stage Beginning next Monday auto for Torrance will leave Roswell at 10 oclock in the morning and arrive at Torrance at 4 oclock in the afternoon. The auto from Torrance will leave there at 3 oclock in the afternoon and arrive at Roswell at 9 oclock at

night. The Rio Hondo Reservoir Water Users' dissociation has elected three new directors-W. C. Reld, Robert Beers and C. J. Wagner to serve three years, and the boaard of nine direc-tors reelected: W. M. Atkinson, president; W. E. Blakely, vice president, and Jas. B. Herbot, secretary and treas-

urer. Six miles of cement sidewalk, mestly in the western portion of the town and six feet added to the width of the 10 foot cement sidewarks on Main attect, are new improvements recommended to the city council by the committee on streets and bridges.

The city council has decided that It s not advisable to grant the request of sundry property owners that water for grass and trees in the street parking be furnished free. It is the intention to lower the water rates as soon as the city water department reaches a paying basis, in order to give the water users a share in the is visiting Miss Etta Doss.

The mayor's suggestion that the names of certain streets in Roswell be changed was reported on unfavorably by the committee on streets and al-

BUSINESS CHANGES ARE MADE AT PORTALES

Armory To Be Converted Into Public Andience Room and Stage In-stalled-Portales News.

Portales, Ariz., Feb. 18.-Messrs. collard and Maxwell have bought out the Red Cross drug store, owned by Dr. White, and will open a new drug firm in the store room of the Hardy block. Mrs. Leary, who is now occupying this building, will move her stock of millinery to a new place being built for her in the rear of the hardware store coom of the same building.

Dr. C. E. Worth from Indianapolis has filled up modern dental apartments n rooms on Maln street. Miss Pearl Stone is assisting in the

postoffice. C. O. Leach, the postmaster, is occupying the cashier's chair in the First National bank, the cashier, W. O. Oldham, being absent on a business trip to Kansas City.

The armory, opposite the Presbyter-ian church, will be converted into a public audience room, with stage, dropcurtain, and side scenes. The Portales brass band, under the directions of Prof. Beatty, will use the building two evenings in the week, and the military company will begin drilling as soon as Rev. Dr. Dunlap is able to take charge. He has been il with the grip.

SUMMONED AS WITNESS.

Naco, Ariz., Feb. 18 .- The postmaster, E. A. Folsom, has been summoned Tombstone, as a witness for the United States against Daisy Shannon, a negress charged with raising a postal money order.

The Commercial Club Raises \$130,000 for the Orient

Today's News of the Great Southwest

Railroad.

Del Rio, Texas, Feb. 18 .- The subscription soliciting committee of the commercial club that has in charge the raising of the subscription to the bonds of the Orient railroad, has been hard at work this week and is meeting with success. About \$130,000 of the \$200,000 worth of bonds are now subscribed for and the efforts of the committee are still confined to the people of the city, no campaign having been undertaken among the ranchmen.

Everybody is confident of the result and the impetus of grading and con-structing, which is to begin not later than July 1, will make business and general trade increase even over the present gatifying prosperity.

NEW BUILDINGS AT CLINT, TEXAS

Town to Have Lumber Sheds | c. and Ice House-Much Hay Is Shipped.

Clint, Texas, Feb. 18 .- Many new resideaces have been built in this vicinity this winter. S. B. Biddle, J. O. Hood and C. E. Kellogg have just completed Mr. Kellogg as now having

his house painted. C. D. Dixon, of El Paso, is doing the work. The lumber sheds of C. M. McKinney house is being built in connection with the new store where ice will be handled by the carload this summer. By handling it in large quantities it will

Luther Mann made a business trip to El Paso recently Miss Minnie Hinson returned re-

cently from a visit among relatives in the eastern part of the state. D. N. Reid left lately for his ranch on the mesa.

Mr. and Mrs. Ratcliff have moved to the F. A. Spence ranch, where Mr. Ratcliff will act as foreman. They are El Paso people and will be welcomed by a large circle of friends, having farmed for a number of years on a

ranch near Ysleta.
T. S. Kerr, of El Paso, was down recently looking after the work which he has in charge for C. M. McKinney W. J. McCormick, of the eight seccountry, was transacting business

tion countr C. O. Coffin spent several days at

FOR NEW RAILROAD LINE

will cost at least \$1000 each | Construction of Colorado & Concho As sured-News Notes and Personals Colorado, Tex., Feb. 18.-In a letter from E. G. Hancock

Ark., he states that the Colorado & Concho railroad will be built. Colorado and Robert Lee have both raised their respective bonuses. H. B. Smoot, who left for Galvesto

recently for the benefit of his health. much better and has gone to San An The Choral society under the leader ship of professor Thomas Dawes, o London, England, gave "Jarius's Daugh

Oscar Majors has gone to Marlin, Tex., for the benefit of his health. The Choral club will go to Big Springs, Tex., to give the sacred cantata "Jarius's Daughter," February 22.
The residence occupied by W. Frank Robinson was recently destroyed by fire. Mrs. E. N. Bond, wife of the former pastor of the Christian church, left recently for Ennis, Tex., where she joined her husband who preceded her to take charge of the Christian church there. Mrs. C. M. Witaker, of Fort Worth,

Tex. is here on a visit to her parents, judge and Mrs. Ed J. Hamner. Misses Stella and Dora Waddell, of Midland are visiting their cousin, Mrs. R. D. Ingram.

Mrs. Ellis Douthit, of Big Springs, was visiting her sister, Mrs. Ed W. Smith, recently.

Miss Gussle Ragland, of Sweetwater, recently was a visitor to Mrs. Brooks Miss Jessie Foster, of Sterling City

THERMOMETER DROPS TO FOUR ABOVE AT ALPINE

ter" recently

W. E. Phelps Weds Miss Rosa Dryden.

Globe, Arizona, Ruyer Gets Steers in Alpine Country. Alpine, Texas, Feb. 18.—This part of the country has just passed through the coldest weather experienced this winter, the thermometer dropping to four

degrees above zero. W. E. Phelps and Miss Rosa Dryden were married recently at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Dryden. Rev. E. B. Atwood officiates, Dr. and Mrs. R. E. Taylor have moved from Alpine to Fort Stockton where hey will make their future home. Miss Matybel Patton has gone to

San Antonio to take a business course in the Alamo City business college. O. A. Bonne, of Globe, Ariz., was in Alpine recently and purchased four cars of steers for shipment to Globe, Ariz. W. J. McIntyre and G. W. Beakley of

Marathon, were in Alpine for a few S. J. Harmon left by way of auto for his recently purchased ranch at Pyote in Pecos county, taking workmen to do some tank work.

Wm. Garnett has returned from Waco where he has been attending a business college for several months. The members of the Young People's Union were entertained recently by Rev. and Mrs. S. E. Allison at the Methodist

Tom Livingston has gone to Globe, Ariz, where he will reside in the fu-

T. Henderson was in from his ranch recently to deliver a shipment of steers to O. A. Bonne.

H. T. Luthy visited Marathon lately. S. W. Ward was in Alpine from his

anch in Jeff Davis county, recently, Judge Walter Gillis of Del Rio was visitor in Alpine lately. Thad B. Hale has returned from an extended visit to east Texas.

FOOTBALL MEN ELECT CAPTAIN LAK LSBAU

Methods of Election Are Changed at the School of Mines.

Socorro, N. M., Feb. 18 .- The football players and wearers of the athletic "M."
met recently to elect their captain for
next year. The School of Mines has rather a peculiar football history, having won numerous high school and acade games, but never a collegiate game. This is not due to lack of material but to in sufficient leadership, and this fact has led to the change in mode of election. The old custom of allowing the up-per class men to name the captain with-

out the team's support has ceased to | exist. From now on the captain must be both a student and player. The captain elect is C. T. Jobes, of Kansas Chy. Mo., and in appreciation of his election be gave a dinner to a number of his friends, W. A. Cameron acting as toast-Professor P. Paul, of the department

of geology, has made known to the stu dents that all thesis work done in his department must be fit for publication. The aim of professor Paul is to have only men that will be a credit to the institution, with degrees conferred upon them. Professor Paul comes from Hel-

BURGLARS GET JEWELRY AND SILVER AT BISBEE

Maddern, Reported Missing, Is Lo-cated in Los Angeles—Bisbee's Heroic Firemen Remembered.

Bisbee, Ariz., Feb. 18 .- Mrs. J. Taft ecently had the unpleasant surprise of not finding several pieces of jewelry. silverware and other valuable articles which were in her home the night before, A smashed window and several broken drawers told what had happened in that room while she was asleep. Among the stolen property there were several pleces of fine Mexican workmanship, which & Co., are being erected and a large Mrs. Taft had bought for a wedding

bee caused his family and his friends so much anxiety has been found in Los be sold almost as cheap here as in Ex Angeles, Cal.

Paso.

C. O. Coffin and R. A. Kibby are loading hay. More than 50 cars of hay have been shipped from this place this month.

A picture of George Morris is going to be placed upon the walls of the fire department here. Morris was a fireman who died heroically while on duty at a fire here last June.

Thinks Halley's Comet Will Cause It-Plans to Take Houseboat.

Carlsbad, N. M., Feb. 18.-The announcement recently made by severage of the astronomers that the vapor would envelope the earth and perhaps cause the death of all animal life on the face of the earth, has created no little excitement among some of the women of Carlsbad.

They are taking a most serious view of the report and are preparing for their worldly affairs to come suddenly to an end about May 15. One woman is endeavoring to gather her family about her so they may all procure passage in the same 'houseboat."

Aubrey Gist, one of the largest Angora goat raisers in this section of the southwest, has a large force of men as work clipping the mohair crop from the goats. He has about 2000 goats ready to clip at this time. He reports the clip as being unusually neavy. It will average from four to seven pounds per goat and he has been offered 50 cents per pound for the clip and declined the effer. He contemplates shipping about 300 of the registered does to Missouri in the early

Mrs. G. W. Witt is slowly recovering from the effects of an operation. An exciting game of baseball was played between a team composed of Mexican boys and one of white boys at the ball park Sunday which resulted in a victory for the former by a score of five to one.

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